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**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No.: 16869B-098200US  
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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of:

Yuichi Yagawa

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For: LONG TERM DATA  
PROTECTION SYSTEM AND  
METHOD

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 3352

Examiner: John A. Lane

Technology Center/Art Unit: 2185

**AMENDMENT**

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 19, 2005, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 9 of this paper.